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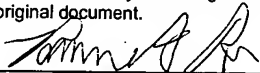
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WHEREAS, WE, **VINCENT P. STANTON, JR., M.D.**, a citizen of the United States of America, **JIA LIU WOLFE, Ph.D.**, a citizen of the United States of America, , **TOMOHIKO KAWATE, Ph.D.**, a citizen of Japan, **CHARLES ALLERSON**, a citizen of the United States of America; and **GREGORY L. VERDINE**, a citizen of the United States of America (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNORS"), have invented a certain invention entitled "**BASE-MODIFIED NUCLEOTIDES AND THEIR USE FOR POLYMORPHISM DETECTION**" for which application for Letters Patent of the United States of America have filed on January 8, 2002, assigned Serial No. 10/043,615; and

WHEREAS, **VARIAGENICS, INC.**, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the **State of Delaware** and having its place of business at **60 Hampshire Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts, 02139-1562** (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), is desirous of acquiring the exclusive right, title and interest in, to and under said invention and in, to and under any Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor in the United States of America, its territorial possessions and in any and all countries foreign thereto.

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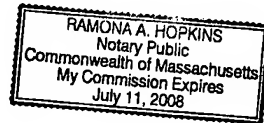
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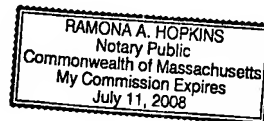
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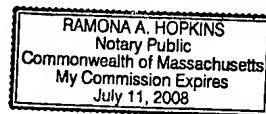
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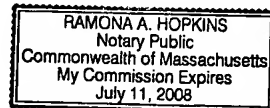
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